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TOWN COUNCIL DISMISSES APPEALS ON ASSESSMENT

Bowerman Gets Permission for Parking and Car Lot; Gardeners Granted Leases for Plots; School Requisition of \$12,500 Accepted

Following is a record of the proceedings of the council of the Town of Wainwright at its regular meeting in the council chamber at 8 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, April 24th. The members of the council present at this meeting were Mayor Middlemiss and Councillors Huntington, Robinson, Cook, Alderman and Billing.

The recorded proceedings of council at its regular meeting of April 2, 1940, and of its special meeting of April 16th, 1940, were read and, on motion by Councillor Huntington, the recorded proceedings of both meetings were adopted and confirmed as written.

The Secretary reported the decisions of the Court of Revision held during the afternoon, whereby 14 appeals against assessments were dismissed by the court, and four others (involving only changes in the assessment roll) were allowed.

On motion by Councillor Billing, it was resolved that Lot 16 in Block 6, Plan 6440V, with the garage thereon, be advertised for sale by tender, tenders to be in the hands of the Secretary-Treasurer on or before Thursday May 2nd, 1940.

Mr. S. R. Bowerman made written application to lease Lots 34, 37, 38 and the west 30 feet of 39 in Block 6, Plan 6440V, for a period of one year, to be used as a used car lot and parking site, tendering payment of \$4.00

as rental for the said period and, on motion by Councillor Robinson, his application was approved by council upon the usual conditions of such leases and conditions as outlined in his letter of application.

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Surprise Gathering For Silver Wedding

A very pleasant surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Jones on Wednesday, April 17, the occasion being their silver wedding anniversary.

A goodly crowd of neighbors gathered at four o'clock in the afternoon and amid best wishes surprised them indeed. Many were unable to attend owing to the extremely bad condition of the roads.

After congratulations and best wishes were over, a gift of a silver tea service was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Jones by Mr. Fred M. Ford on behalf of their neighbors and friends, as a token of the esteem they hold in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones expressed their thanks and a delicious luncheon was served, at which the bride of 35 years ago cut a suitably decorated cake, made for the occasion.

Mr. Jones, one of the earliest settlers, came from Wales in June, 1907, and in the same year homesteaded the farm where they now reside. Mrs. Jones arrived in Wainwright in the spring of 1914 to assist herself with the work before their marriage on April 27, 1915.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones have rendered of their best to the welfare of the community during their 25 years of pleasures and misadventures of farming. Their family of three sons and five daughters were all present for the celebration.

Decennial Census To Have Innovation

When, on June 2, 1941, some 16,000 enumerators start ringing doorbells from coast to coast, taking Canada's decennial census, they will have several new questions to ask the people who answer the doors. Three of these questions, aimed at obtaining additional information on family life, will be directed to married women.

Married women will be asked to tell their age at the time of their first marriage, the number of children she has borne, and the number of children living at the date of the census.

The 1941 census also contains a different approach to the question of literacy and illiteracy. Canadians will not be asked, as in the past, if they can read or write, but will be asked to state the number of years' schooling they have had. Generally speaking, it will be assumed that the number listed as never having attended school cannot read or write.

Canada Undertakes Big Munitions Order

Toronto.—The Globe and Mail, in a special dispatch from Ottawa, says it is learned authoritatively that British orders for war munitions amounting to \$25,000,000 will be placed in Canada in the near future.

The dispatch continues: "In addition to the British orders, France will shortly place large contracts in the Dominion for various supplies."

John Carwell, former president of the Burlington Steel Company, has been named as Canadian liaison officer with the allied purchasing board in New York.

Many Albertans to Take Militia Train

Calgary.—More than 2,000 officers and men of the non-permanent militia in Alberta will undergo summer training at Barceau Camp to equip them for enlistment in the Canadian Active Service Force, staff officers of Military District 13 stated Monday in announcing details of training policy for the coming summer.

The main object of all militia training, it was stated, will be to prepare the units and men for immediate mobilization in the event of the raising of another Canadian division.

Slapped Nazis' Face—Economically



With war and trade so closely aligned in the European game of marshall chess, the sudden decision on the part of Rumania to ban exports of cereals into Germany definitely placed Rumania on the list of nations especially marked for

war. This recent photograph shows the "big three" of Rumania, King Carol, centre, his son Michael, left, and Prince George Talaracu, who reviewed one of the crack Rumanian regiments during promotion exercises.

BOARD OF TRADE NOW RE-ORGANISED

After a lapse of some considerable time, during which the organization has lain dormant, the Wainwright and District Board of Trade took on a new lease of life at a well-attended meeting held on Monday in the Town Hall.

At the opening of the meeting, Mr. W. Knowles, secretary-treasurer, read a statement showing the Board to be still solvent, and mentioned, among other things, many activities in which the Board had been instrumental in

advancing town and district interests in a number of ways. He pointed out that only lack of interest had caused the lapse in enthusiasm.

A number of new projects upon which the Board can expend their energies for the good of the town and district were mentioned, among which were the finish of Highway No. 14 to the border east, with connecting gravelled roads into both Edgerton and Chauvin, etc.; the future use of the National Park; the handling of distance mail on both east and west C.N. lines; the obtaining of other business projects (such as greenhouses, pottery, brickyard) for Wainwright; the re-opening of the oilfields, etc.; and all of these were considered by those present to be well worthy of endeavor by the Board.

MERRY TIME AT REBEKAH PARTY

The home of Mrs. W. J. Huntingtonford was the scene of a merry gathering on Monday evening, when the members of Ageline Rebekah Lodge entertained their friends to a social evening.

Whist melees and a quiz contest made up the programme and prizes were awarded to Miss Helen Clifton, Miss Beattie Bowerman, Mrs. Ed Turner, and Messrs. C. T. Cory, F. John and L. Mitchell.

A sumptuous lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by other members of the Lodge, before the gathering (which numbered over 50) dispersed.

W. J. REYNOLDS DIES, EDMONTON

On Saturday night last, Mr. W. J. Reynolds passed away at the University hospital in Edmonton (where he had been for quite some time) at the age of 59 years.

He is survived by his wife and three daughters—Mrs. H. Parkhurst, of Wainwright, Mrs. N. Pelland, of Edmonton, and Mrs. N. Perrot, of Morrisville. One sister and one brother, as well as seven grandchildren, are also left to mourn.

Funeral services were held on Monday in Edmonton, where interment took place, with the Rev. A. D. Richardson officiating.

The late Mr. Reynolds has resided here with his family for many years, having been engaged in the business of wild-driller.

Popular Charlie Chan Hero of Elite Feature

Psychic research, magic tricks, murders and blackmail against a setting of the Golden Gate Exposition at San Francisco form the background for the latest in 20th Century-Fox's "Charlie Chan" series, "Charlie Chan at Treasure Island", at the Elite next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Supporting Sidney Toler in the title role are Cesar Romero, Pauline Moore, Sen Yung and Douglas Fowley.

The original story and the screenplay follow the pattern of the "Chan" series, and give an added fillip to the mystery by the injection of the legend, a highly exploitable asset.

RED CROSS NOTICE

A General Meeting of the local branch of the Red Cross will be held in the Council Chamber of the Town Hall on Wednesday, May 8th, at 8:00 P.M. sharp, while all interested in this necessary organization are cordially invited to attend.

Home Building Loan Program Still Active

Indications of an active program of low and medium cost house construction in Canada during the 1940 building season are contained in National Housing Act figures released recently by the Hon. J. L. Ralston, minister of finance.

Despite the recent regulations restricting the maximum loan to \$4,000 and the type of house which may be financed to single family dwellings, new applications submitted to the Department continued to maintain a strong upward trend, reaching 478 in March against 289 in February and 325 in March last year. The number of loans actually approved during the month was 322 and the amount of these loans \$953,419. This was an increase of 104 in number of loans approved as compared with March, 1939, of a decrease of \$985,245 in the volume of loans. The decrease in volume of loans is attributable to three main factors:

1. The practical elimination of two-family and multiple family house financing which in March last year accounted for a more than usual proportion of the units financed. Only three of this type of loan, for which the applications were made in December, were approved in March, 1940, involving altogether 9 dwelling units.
2. The number of single family houses on the other hand, increased from 183 in March, 1939, to 319 in March, 1940.
3. The lower cost character of the dwellings financed and consequently also the smaller loan per unit. The average loan per unit in March, 1939, was \$5,457 and in March, 1940, \$2,907.

3. A relatively heavy carry-over of applications into April resulting in part from the lesser number of working days in March this year.

Young People Hear Talk on Maoris

The regular meeting of the United Church Young People's Union, held on Wednesday last, proved to be a very interesting and enjoyable one.

President Carl Torg presided and, following the regular business, turned the meeting over to Rev. T. E. Armstrong, who spoke on "The Nature of Religion and the Meaning of Life."

All joined in a hearty sing-song before Kenn Torg delivered an interesting talk on the Maoris, tracing their origin from the time they first settled in New Zealand up to the present day. Pictures which he took during his visit there were passed around and received a great deal of comment.

A short recreational period preceded the closing.

Romance During Winter Carnival

Walter Wanger, an alumnus of Dartmouth, last winter revisited the college and while the 1939 winter carnival, traditional high spot of the Dartmouth year, was in progress, supervised the filming of the skits and the snow covered Green Mountains of New Hampshire, which serve as a background for the picture. Authentically, then, is the keynote of this week end attraction at the Elite, "Winter Carnival."

The story is a light concoction of several component parts, all of which have romance as the basic theme. The principal one concerns the meeting of two former sweethearts, the boy has become a professor at the college, and the girl, an American heiress, is just back from a trip to Reno and divorce from a duke. Ann Sheridan plays the glamor girl and Richard Carlson the professor. Another of the skits is the romance between Helen Parrish and James Allen, which is more on the undergraduate side.

We learn that Marvin, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Jackson, of Ford, is in a hospital patient these days.

SCHOOL NEEDS MORE SCIENCE EQUIPMENT

The regular meeting of the Board of the Wainwright Public School was held on April 22nd, with only Trustee Thurston absent.

The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read.

It was resolved that letters of commendation be sent to Mr. and Mrs. Murray and Mr. and Mrs. Thurston owing to their recent bereavement.

Principal Murray, of the public school, reported an enrolment of 181 for the month of March, with an average of 80 pupils per room. The attendance for the month was \$4.90 per cent.

Principal Meade's report showed an enrolment of 109 in the high school, which had been open for 15 days during the month of March. Commenting on the recommendation for additional science equipment, contained in the report of Inspector Balfour, who recently visited the school, Mr. Meade pointed out that new methods of teaching certain subjects were the basis of the recommendation.

Both reports were adopted on regular motions, and Inspector Balfour's report ordered filed.

The Finance Committee reported accounts in the sum of \$1,432.84, with recommendations for payment, and a motion to that effect was carried.

The report of the school attendance

officer was ordered filed, with the usual copy being sent to the department.

The meeting then adjourned.

At a special meeting of the Board, which was held on April 9th for the purpose of considering estimates and setting the yearly requisition from the Town, it was resolved that the Town of Wainwright be requisitioned in the sum of \$12,500.00 to meet expenses for the current year.

EDGERTON LADY IS BEREAVED, FATHER

Capt. Chas. H. Burton, a one-familiar figure in Edgerton, passed away in Vancouver, B.C., on Wednesday, April 17th, in his 86th year. He is survived by one daughter and two sons, Mrs. P. S. Fawcett, and "Chris", of this district, and Godfrey, residing at the Isle of Wight, England.

Retired from the merchant service, Captain Burton first came to Edgerton from Swathling, Hampshire, Eng., in 1907 and settled on a farm five miles south of town with his wife and four of his five children.

His wife passed on in 1918, and three years later he went to Guelph, Miss., where he remained until 1934, when he returned and spent a year visiting his son and daughter here. The following year he went out to Vancouver and resided there until the time of his death. Two sons also preceded him. Frank three years ago and Edgar last year, both of whom are well remembered here. Very sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Fawcett and Chris in their sad bereavement.

Old Country Spends Huge Sums Here

Ottawa.—Great Britain is spending about one million two hundred and fifty thousand dollars in Canada daily for war materials and other supplies.

This is the daily average since the beginning of the year. From September to September the total will be about four hundred and forty-five million dollars.

March Precipitation Is Above Normal

March precipitation in Northern Alberta was 184 per cent. above normal, while in Central Alberta it was 225 per cent. above normal, according to figures prepared by the Dominion meteorological bureau.

The heavy precipitation will be beneficial to the crops, grain men said. The precipitation figures are made up of rainfall plus the water equivalent of snowfalls.

The Saskatchewan and Manitoba figures show that precipitation in those two provinces was, on the average, about 20 per cent. below normal.

One License All Sets in House

Ottawa.—Helen C. D. Howe, minister of transport, announced recently that only one radio receiving license will be required for all radio receiving sets installed in a private residence, instead of one license for each set as formerly. The ruling is retroactive to April 1, last, when licenses for 1939-40 expired.

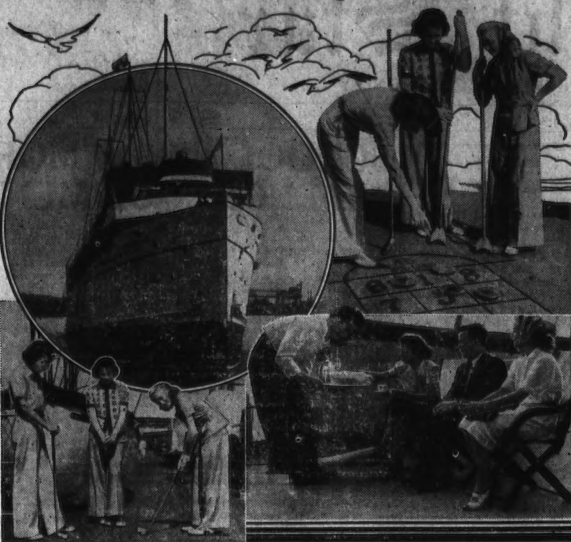
90 Boats Cost Near 50,000,000

Ottawa.—War cost to Canada, in the coming fiscal year, is estimated at \$500,000,000. This is nearly three times the expenditure in the first year of the last war.

The estimates include a total of nearly \$50,000,000 for construction of 90 vessels.

In the first year of the last war Canada had no Air Force. Now the Royal Canadian Air Force, exclusive of the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan, comprises 8,000 officers and men.

Great Lakes Cruises Delightful Holiday



A delightful break in the long trans-Canada rail journey and perfect summer cruises are combined in the services offered by the Canadian Pacific Great Lakes steamers. Two gleaming white ships, the "Assiniboia" and the "Keweenaw" make convenient connections at Port William and Port McNicoll, terminal points for their water journey of 542 enchanting miles, and cruises are operated especially for vacationists who like the charm of the vast inland seas.

These two fine passenger ships travel westbound on Wednesdays and Saturdays; eastbound on Saturdays and Tuesdays. The route of these "Circle Cruises,"

from June 15 to mid-September, is most interesting. Westbound from Port McNicoll, the ship glides through beautiful Georgian Bay, past Manitoulin Island, and into Lake Huron. It sails up St. Mary's River, through Sault Ste. Marie to Lake Superior, largest of the Great Lakes, to Port William.

The schedules provide for popular week-end cruises from Sault Ste. Marie or either terminal point, half the length of the full cruises.

Other delightful five-day cruise trips are made by the spacious cruise ship "Manitoba," 302 feet long, 2,616 tons and of steel construction. These cruises from

July 1 to August 26 are from Owen Sound and Port McNicoll to Port William but the route is via the North Inside Channel of Manitoulin Island and there is a special stop at Mackinac Island, rich in stories of early explorers and fur traders.

Shipboard activities on all these vessels are patterned on those of an ocean liner—morning bouillon, afternoon teas, midnight snacks, impromptu parties, masquerades, dances and moonlight promenades on deck. Facilities include shuttle-board, deck quilts and other sports. The ships are equipped with spacious decks, cozy lounges and airy staterooms—the last word in luxurious comfort.

carried out—an immense job which has meant installing thirty thousand more electric lamps, a hundred and ninety miles of wiring, and special reading shades of steel weighing in all twenty-one tons.

Through white steel boxes the rays shine on to papers and books, but not through the windows.

BRITAIN'S LIGHTSHIPS

Tossing on the waters that fringe the coasts of Britain are 45 small ships. Week after week, year after year, they stay there, straining on their anchor chains as gales buffet them.

They are the lightships of Britain, whose sole job is to warn the ships of every nation of the perils of hidden sands and reefs.

Yet one of them—the East Duddon—was singled out on January 29 for a vicious attack by a Nazi bomber. Nobody expected that the enemy would commit such an outrage. As the sole survivor of the crew of eight said: "We were not alarmed, because on previous occasions German pilots had waved to us and left us alone. But on this occasion the bomber dived suddenly and sprayed the deck with machine-gun bullets and later dropped nine bombs, the last of which hit our ship."

The Prime Minister has described this an act of "pure gangsterism."

Britain, even in time of war, regards lightships as outside the scope of hostilities and British lightships, as the Prime Minister stressed, "are not even utilized to report the presence of enemy craft in the vicinity." Enemy attacks on them serve no military purpose and can have no effect on the result of the war.

The first lightship to be placed in English waters was that stationed at the Nore 1732.

Today there is still a lightship there with the name of her station painted in huge letters on her side. Every lightship carries the name of its station and, on its mast, has a symbol—usually a huge, hollow globe—showing that it is a lightship. So there can be no question of mistaken identity when such a ship is attacked.

Besides the 45 British lightships always on duty, there are nine spare relieving vessels.

The crew consists usually of eleven men, seven on board and four on shore. The men spend one month on shore for every two on board.

Wrought-iron chains, attached to two mushroom-shaped anchors each weighing three tons, keep the ships at their stations.

In addition to the light, the majority of the ships have sirens or horns for use in fog. And there are eleven North Sea lightships fitted with wireless for life-saving purposes.

Everything is done to make the life of the crew comfortable, but, when the wind rises, waves sometimes batter the ship for days on end.

But they carry on with their job—the job of keeping their light burning as a warning beacon to every passing ship. The sailors of the world are grateful to them. And in the ships and ports of the seven seas, wherever sailors gather together, this latest Nazi atrocity will be condemned.

THE FRENCH NAVY AT WAR

On 85,000 nautical miles of sea routes the navies of the British Empire have to protect shipping from the Nazi submarine, aeroplane and mine. On 50,000 nautical miles the French navy have to do the same.

On these life-lines 2,500 French and British ocean-going merchant ships, the countless local coastal steamers, sail the seven seas to supply the needs of Great Britain and France. Keeping the seas open to allied shipping and closed to the enemy's is a main part of the navy's task.

In the realm of economic warfare the French navy has been very active. Up to the 20th of January it had succeeded in intercepting 622,000 tons of goods going to Germany, of which 260,000 have been seized as contraband.

Until the squadron of the new battleships of the "King George V" class comes into service, which will give Britain the most powerful squadron on the high seas, it is France who possesses today the most modern battleships. These are the ships of the "Dunkerque" class, which came into service in 1937 and 1938, and which are the fastest (31 knots) and the best armed in the world.

With these battle cruisers of the British navy, "Hood," "Renown" and "Repulse," the "Dunkerque" and the "Strasbourg" are at the present time the only ships capable of outclassing, unquestionably, in speed and gunpower, together, the German "Scharnhorst" and "Gneisenau," as well as the "pocket battleships," the "Deutschland" and "Scheer".

That the "Deutschland" and the "Scheer" have done so very little damage to the sea-borne trade of the Allies must be ascribed to their reluctance to risk being brought into action, not only against British but also against French naval units.

Among France's 50 cruisers, her 32 light cruisers, with a speed of 35 to 40 knots, an armament of 5.5 inch guns and torpedo-tubes, and excellent sea-keeping qualities are proving particularly valuable for hunting, patrolling and convoying. France also brings to the common cause about 40

destroyers, 26 of which have a tonnage of 1,500 and a speed of 35 knots and as many escort vessels, some of which with a displacement of 2,000 tons have an extensive radius of action, thanks to their diesel engines, and are thus perfectly suited to the ocean escort of merchant convoys.

The 50 French submarines do invaluable work in guarding the entry to enemy ports and in every kind of patrol work. One French submarine, the "Surcouf," is the largest and most powerful in the world. Her displacement, submerged, is 4,300 tons, and she carries 8-inch guns as well as torpedoes.

On the model of the great transatlantic seaplanes, which for many years have maintained the service between France and South America, the French navy has built a number of gigantic long-distance seaplanes of 15 to 30 tons displacement with 4 to 6 engines, and invaluable for naval reconnaissance. Nearer the coast numerous observation and bomber squadrons are constantly scoring successes against German submarines.

In French yards, soon ready to be commissioned, are the battleships "Richelieu" and "Jean Bart," each of 35,000 tons, and various destroyers and escort vessels numbering in all 126 units. Together with the new battleships of the "King George V" class, the "Richelieu" and "Jean Bart," each with eight 15-inch guns and a speed of 30 knots, will present a battle force infinitely superior to the forces which could by then be assembled against them by the Germans.

When we think of France's land effort we can still more appreciate an effort at sea which maintains a naval strength approaching half of the British.

TENT CATERPILLAR MENACE IS PROSPECT

Although there is no present prospect of the tent caterpillar invading Southern Alberta, those in the northern part of the province are warned that this will be a peak year for infestation in the north. The northern part of the province is a more popular section for these worms, owing to the prevalence of poplar and willow.

E. H. Strickland, professor of entomology in U. of A., says that there

are evidences of masses of egg rings on poplar and willow trees at Edmonton, indicating a serious outbreak. From each ring, approximately 250 worms can be expected to develop, he said, so that it is in the interest of anyone owning a tree to get rid of the rings.

It is reported also that the infestation has started around the upper reaches of the Athabasca River and around Lesser Slave lake.

He does not know why this particular district in the province should seem to be the most popular for caterpillars, outside of the 15-year cycle explanation. The worms do not attack Manitoba maples or ash trees.

He suggested that if citizens wanted to get a head-start on them, they should start immediately cutting the egg rings from the trees.

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How Underground R'lways Are Made Safe from Air

By Beatrix Moore

Changing London's railways from peace to war conditions has meant an immense job of work. The speed with which it had to be carried out, so as to interfere as little as possible with the millions of people dependent on the railroads for their daily transport, makes the story more exciting.

The job meant (1) emergency measures for public safety; (2) an immediate "black-out," so that no clue was given to enemy aircraft of the whereabouts of vital sections.

In London, the London Passenger Transport Board controls all the traffic for 25 miles round London, and has some eighty-seven thousand employees on its pay roll. One of the Board's stations, Charing Cross, is used by more than forty-one million people a year. Last year (including bus services), the Board carried three thousand eight hundred and seventy-two people to work and play.

As far back as 1936, preliminary surveys were made to see what measures would be needed if war came. In 1938, after the September crisis, transport authorities made a survey to determine what constructional alterations would be necessary.

A vast programme of emergency work was undertaken by the L.P.T.B., the total cost being about £1,000,000 in London alone. In January, 1939, anti-flood measures in the London Underground Railway were begun, and engineers made a survey of all stations and tunnels. To prevent possible entry of water during a raid, it was found necessary to do work of some sort at 81 stations, and by the time war broke out, all but 19 had been completed.

The London public saw or knew little of the laborious work going on for its safety. It only saw the superficial changes. Instructions on what to do in event of an air raid, for instance, appeared in trains and on stations. Notices requesting passengers to lie on the floor in the event of an air raid caused amusement on some of the crowded suburban lines.

Other notices at the entrances to Underground stations warned the

public that they could not be used as air raid shelters, and that when a raid warning was given, the gates would be closed.

One of the most difficult problems to be faced in London was that of protecting the Underground railways from risk of flooding, either from the River Thames, or from sewers or water mains.

Electrically-operated steel flood-proof gates, of two types, have been installed—heavy tunnel gates weighing six tons, and smaller gates weighing four and a half tons, to cut off passages leading into stations, besides concrete walls in the passages.

So successful has this work been that within three minutes of an air raid warning, those sections of the line in the river, can be completely isolated. When an air raid warning is received at the traffic controllers' office, the controller immediately transmits an instruction to the operators of all gates, who are continuously on duty.

In the operator's control cabin at the end of each platform, illuminated diagrams of the section of the line indicate the presence of a train in the under-river section.

As soon as the operators have satisfied themselves by means of the diagrams that all trains have cleared the section, the gates are closed.

Special inter-locking devices make it impossible for any gate to be closed while there is a train in the under-river section of the tunnel.

As soon as war broke out, men began working by day and all night to complete the work and by the end of December all but one of the stations were opened.

First, steps had to be taken for the safety of the workers themselves, so concrete plugs—each plug weighing thirty-five tons—were put in the tunnels and passages.

As time went on, all sorts of unexpected difficulties were encountered. The huge steel gates for Charing Cross, for instance, left Scotland on December 6, but the lorries ran into fog and did not arrive in London until December 9. Then they had to be loaded on to specially designed trains and hauled into the tunnel by locomotives driven by batteries, since there was no current on the lines.

In spite of this, by December 14 Charing Cross was opened.

In the event of an air raid, passengers on the Underground are warned at the nearest station. Those who wish may alight and seek shelter. The train continues its journey. Those who stay in the train are expected to close the windows and ventilators and pull down the blinds.

Beating the "black-out" on the railways has also been a problem, especially now that the "peak period" is earlier in the evening. The first phase when ordinary trains were plunged into darkness, and Underground trains had subdued lighting, was soon over. Now a scheme of reading lamps has been devised and successfully

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7.30 p.m., Evensong every Sunday.
Baptisms, weddings and funerals by arrangement.

United Church of Canada

Rev. T. Edgar Armstrong, R.A., B.D.
Minister

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11.30 a.m.—Public Worship.
7.30 p.m.—Public worship.
First and Third Sunday.
1.00 p.m.—Grangeville.
Second and Fourth Sundays—
10.00 a.m.—Fabyan.
8.00 p.m.—Grangeville.

Psalms 121:1 "I was glad when they said unto me, 'Let us go into the house of the Lord.' We extend that privilege to you and invite you to come."

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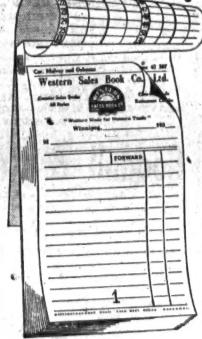
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FARMERS HELPED

BY SOIL TESTING

"Yes, it has opened my eyes to the requirements of my land." "Certainly! It has enabled me to spend my fertilizer money to better advantage." "Oul, beaucoup!" are typical responses of practical farmers to the question: "Has a soil test helped you to better understand the fertility needs of your soil?"

To another query, "Has the soil test enabled you to secure better stands of clovers and grasses?" the farmer has replied: "It has let us know where we require lime and which fields are suitable for clover and alfalfa." "Yes, especially wild white clover in pastures." "Clover growing after three seedings failed!" is the remark of one whose soil was found acid.

Equally enthusiastic is the reply to whether the soil test has shown the way to increased yields and improved quality of crops. "Grain is more plump." "Planted usual acreage to all three silos, 150 tons each, had corn to fill four." "The crops on one particular field were absolute failures until I used this 2-16-6 fertilizer. This year the grain did lodge, and it was nice to cut with the binder."

Less positive were the answers to the question, "Has the soil test helped to solve the problem of crop lodging?" The majority replied, "Yes, lodging reduced to a minimum," or "Some improvement."

Ninety per cent of the farmers expressed themselves in favor of a soil test as a regular feature of their crop planning and fertilizing programme, says G. R. Snyder, soil chemist.

COMMON ROOTROT OF CEREALS

Common rootrot is one of three rootrot diseases of cereals that occur in the Prairie Provinces, states B. J. Salinas, Dominion Laboratory of Plant Pathology, University of Saskatchewan. It is widely distributed throughout the grain-growing areas, few fields being entirely free. Sometimes the injury may be light but many crops suffer considerable loss. Good growing conditions, especially regard to moisture supply, probably reduce losses, while conditions unfavorable for plant development accentuate losses due to common rootrot.

Common rootrot is caused by fungi which may be present singly or in combination. They inhabit the soil and the seeds of cereals. In the latter they may cause smutted or scabby grains. The fungi may cause death

of young plants before or soon after emergence or they may attack the under-ground parts at any time up to maturity. The plants are frequently unthrifty, stunted and produce a small yield. Sometimes they may appear normal till after the heading stage, then ripen rapidly with little grain in the head.

The disease may be identified by an examination of the underground part of pulled plants. Common rootrot is distinguished by distinct brown patches on roots, bases of stems, or lower leaf sheaths. Another rootrot called "take-all" has a distinctive black appearance of the stems, bases and roots. Furthermore, take-all is rather closely associated with the partly-treed areas. Browning rootrot, on the other hand, shows brown water-soaked areas of the roots and rootlets, the bases of the stems being unaffected.

Recommended practices to minimize losses from common rootrot:

1. Sow seed that is plump and free from smut or other discolorations. If smutted grain must be used, it may be treated with a mercury dust such as is used for smuts. Formalin treatment may weaken seedlings so they are easily attacked by rootrots.
2. Early shallow seeding is desirable. The young seedlings thus become established when the soil is cool, before rootrot fungi become active.
3. Practices which tend to give the plants a quick start and maintain vigorous growth overcome in part the effects of common rootrot. Such practices include moisture conservation by means of summerfallowing and weed control; the use of phosphate fertilizers, where they give increases in yields; and the preservation of a firm seed bed.

Enquiries regarding diseases of cereal crops may be addressed to one of the Laboratories of Plant Pathology in the Prairie Provinces. These are located in Edmonton, Saskatoon and Winnipeg.

Imperial Oil Announces

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A recent survey shows that the petroleum industry leads in scientific research work and this is one reason why the quality of motor fuels and oils is continuously being improved. A notable improvement in motor oils is announced in this issue of this paper by Imperial Oil Limited. The new Marvelube oil which is now being sold by Imperial Oil agents and dealers in this district is said to last longer, give better protection of engines and more economy of operation



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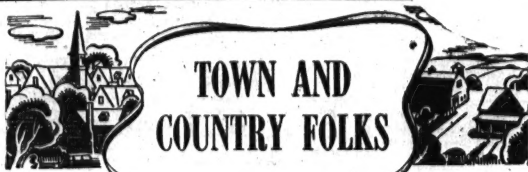
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Homemakers' Exchange

of Helpful Household Hints and Recipes

Conducted by ELEANOR HOWE

If you have a new canary who refuses to sing there is the possibility that the little creature is simply lonely and lacks inspiration. In such instances, canaries have been known to start singing when a whistle or tea kettle is placed on the stove a few times a day and allowed to boil.

For a delicious, jiffy dessert, try Refrigerator Whip: Into 1 cup of whipping cream (whipped), fold 1 cup of graham cracker crumbs and 1 cup of peach or other preserves. Pile in sherberts and chill. This is a particularly suitable dessert to make up several hours, or a day in advance. And stored in the clean-washed, properly-moist atmosphere of a modern air-conditioned ice refrigerator, this dessert will retain all its delicate flavor and fluffiness until serving time.

Refreshments at a card party can be served with lightning speed by the use of clever, portable trays or covers, easily and positively made. Each tray is the size of the card table top, and is made of shal-lacked composition board, with a one-inch frame or "apron" that fits over the table. Handles are placed on opposite side.

Before the guests arrive each tray is spread with a cloth and completely set with a service for four. Plates of cake and sandwiches, covered with damp cloths, are even put on. Perishable foods in the refrigerator, all ready to serve. Each tray is then quickly carried in and all the guests are

To keep chignon or other thin material from puckering when you stitch it on the machine, place a piece of paper between the feeder foot and the material. The paper is easily torn away.

Hems torn from old sheets and cut in short lengths of 5 or 6 inches make excellent container for spices to be dropped into foods being cooked. After the spices are in the "bag," bring the ends to the top and fasten each side securely with a long paper clip.

Wire corn poppers are a vast improvement over sticks for roasting "weenies" at a picnic. They hold several at a time. The "weenies" can not fall down into the flames and by giving the popper a shake or two, they will be evenly roasted all over.

For old-time fresh Strawberry Ice Cream: Mix together 1 tablespoon flour, 1/2 cup sugar and 1/2 teaspoon salt. Add one egg, beaten slightly, and 1/2 cup milk. Cook, stirring constantly until thickened. Allow to cool. Then add 1 quart coffee cream, 2 cups crushed strawberries and a few drops of red food coloring, blend well.

Pour into freezing container of modern ice cream freezer, filling not more than 3/4 full. Assemble, pack with a mixture of parts of crushed ice and 1 part rock salt. Freeze for 5 to 10 minutes or until turning becomes difficult. Open, remove dasher and push down ice cream with a spoon. Remove cover, drain off water and mix with ice and salt mixture. Freeze and let stand at least 1 hour. Serves 2 to 10.



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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24th, 1940

TAXES ARE A NECESSITY

Last week the Town Council spent
practically a whole half day consider-
ing appeals against the 1940 assess-
ment on land and property in the
town's limits.

Possibly in some cases the appeal
seemed to have justification in the
eyes of the appellant, but when the
appeal was compared with lots simi-
larly located, or improvements simi-
larly constructed, there was no good
reason for reduction so far as the
Council was concerned.

The point we wish to make, how-
ever, is this: An assessment was made
this year on valuations as set out in
law by a qualified and competent val-
uator, who visited every piece of prop-
erty in town, and with rule and pen-
cil and his knowledge of buildings,
evaluated the property and based
land values on the location of build-
ing and value of adjacent properties;
and on these values the assessment
was made.

In view of this, only two courses
were open to the Town Council—they
could stand by the valuation and al-
low assessments as made, or they could
lower the entire valuation of land and
property and then increase the mil-
lages, or clip on extra taxes such as
business taxes or frontage taxes!

It should be borne in mind that the
necessary amount of money has to be
raised each year. We have public ser-
vices to maintain and our schools to
operate; provincial government
taxes must be met, and so on, and the
only source of revenue are your taxes
and my taxes with which to finance.
What if our property is valued too
high—and each one knows there is
if the valuation is comparable to

OUR "HOME-TOWN" AND INSITUATIONS

Our "Home-town" is a friendly one
—depression may have hit us, but we
continue to be a happy lot. From
quiet homes lighted windows there
out a friendly light—the main street
of our town is similar to that of any
town our size, with its stores, post of-
fice, garages, etc. The general store
is the meeting place, full of hustle
and bustle—on one corner is our bank
—it is housed in a substantial solid
brick structure in keeping with its
surroundings and it is with "our
bank" I wish to deal. It is the infor-
mal surroundings where patrons tend
to their business in general, and be-
hind the scenes are those other mys-
teries of daily bank life with which
we are unfamiliar.

Primarily a rural bank depends, as
do the merchants of the town, on the
net buying power of the community.
Popularly, country banks are consid-
ered as if of one class, institutions
with mostly farmer or stockmen cus-
tomers, extending credit on wheat,
corn, cattle, hogs and other foodstuffs.
Actually they are widely diversified,
each having its own problems.

In the little hamlet, the bank is
housed in a small brick or frame
structure and attends to the needs of
the farmer constituency. Much more
solid comes the bank in a town such
as Wainwright, of 1,000 population or
over—it likely has some local indus-
tries, creamery, oil refineries, and de-
velopment companies; next comes the
bank of the county seat or trade cen-
ter—say 5,000 to 20,000 population—
where loaning transactions cover a
wide range of commercial, industrial
and agricultural operations. The
prosperity of all these depends, as
does that of the business life of the
community, on the buying power or
net income of the area served.

For ten years income in our com-
munity has been precarious, and our
bank has adjusted its methods to meet
conditions. In so doing, it has to a
degree of success greater than is gen-
erally understood, been able to give
security to depositors and to supply
the needs of the local community
whenever and wherever called upon.
We have every right to be proud of
our "home-town" bank—we should be
thankful for the part it has played in
our daily life.

ADVERTISING

The attention of farmers advertis-
ing grain for seed is again directed
to Section 9 of the Federal Seeds Act
of 1937, which reads in part as fol-
lows: "... nor shall seeds of cereal
grains, forage crops, lawn or turf
grasses be advertised for sale at a
stated price unless the grade name
is included in the advertisement." A
germination test is not sufficient, and
anyone sending a sample to the Do-
minion Seed Laboratory should ask
to have the sample graded. Varying
fines are provided for infringements
of the Act.

This information is published for
the benefit of those who would ad-
vertise seed grain.

CONTINUATION OF TOWN COUNCIL

(Continued from page one)

The following applications for lease
of vacant forfeited lots, to be used for
gardening purposes in the year 1940,
with \$1.00 attached to each applica-
tion, were received and, on motion by
Councillor Alderman, were accepted
on the usual conditions in such leases,
viz:

Mr. James Street for Lots 17 and 18
in Block 10, Plan 6445V.

Mr. M. G. Cardell for Lots 32 to 38
in Block 12, Plan 6445V.

Mrs. N. Nelson for Lots 12 and 13
in Block 45, Plan 9432.

Mr. Gordon Graham for Lot 8 in
Block 54, Plan 4983 AD.

Mr. J. Firestone for Lot 6 in Block
58, Plan 5721 AD.

The requisition of the Wainwright
School District No. 1466 for the sum
of \$12,500 for the year 1940 and a re-
quest for payment of \$1,400 to cover
financial requirements for the month
of April, 1940, were presented to the
council and, on motion by Councillor
Huntingford, these communications
were received and filed and authority
granted for the payment of \$1,400 to
the said district before May 1st, 1940,
to be charged against the requisition
of the said school district amounting
to \$12,500 for the year 1940.

The following motion was then in-
troduced by Councillor Huntingford,
viz: "That the Public Health Com-
mittee be authorized to procure, at the
earliest possible moment, 100 feet of
sewer rod and necessary heads, at a
cost not to exceed \$75.00, F.O.B.
Wainwright" which was lost when
put to the vote.

On notice by Councillor Hunting-
ford, notice will be issued through an
advertisement in The Star of the in-
tended prosecution of any and all per-
sons driving on or over any of the
sidewalks of the town, contrary to
the by-law of the Town of Wain-
wright.

On motion by Councillor Robinson,
the secretary-treasurer was author-
ized to order a new blade for the
small grader.

On motion by Councillor Alderman,
the Secretary-Treasurer was in-
structed to notify the owner of Lot 29
in Block 6, Plan 6445V, of the unsanitary
condition of the outbuilding on this
property, requiring him to have this
matter rectified immediately.

On motion by Councillor Robinson,
the application of Mr. H. F. Schmitt to
purchase Lots 5 and 6 in Block 22,
Plan 6445V, was laid over until the
next meeting of council.

On motion, council was regularly
adjourned.

ed Cross Annual Meet Hears Report

Toronto.—Almost a million pieces
of hospital and surgical supplies and
clothing have been shipped overseas
by the Canadian Red Cross Society
during the past two months for the
use of the Canadian Forces and for
distribution by the Red Cross So-
cieties of war-torn parts of Europe.
It was reported last week at the
annual meeting of the Central Council
of the Society in Toronto, when dele-
gates from all over Canada were present.

From February 1st to March 31st,
1,702 cases were shipped to the Canadian
Red Cross Society in London,
England. They contained thousands
upon thousands of the articles made
by the women of Canada—hospital
necessities and knitted articles.

Thirty cases of hospital supplies
were sent during the same period to
the French Red Cross Society; 244
cases, including clothing for refugee
women and children, to the Finnish
Red Cross; 41 cases to the rescued
children of London; 34 cases for Polish
refugees.

Large quantities of woollen articles
of clothing so necessary in the En-
glish winter climate have been distrib-
uted to the Canadian men in the Al-
derman area by the Society's Com-
forts Committee in London, and
grateful appreciation of the comfort
of home-made socks has been ex-
pressed by many officers on behalf of their
men.

Dr. Fred W. Routley, National
Commissioner, recently received a re-
port from the overseas Visiting Com-
mittee that volunteer visitors had
been recruited and were now attached
to many hospitals in England and
Scotland. It is the duty of these vol-
unteers to look after the Canadian men
wounded in these hospitals and relay
their needs to the London office, from
which parcels are forwarded regularly.

Wherever necessary, messages are
sent by the hospital visitor to the pa-
tient's anxious parents in Canada.

"This service, which, unfortunately,
must grow to large proportions as
the war goes on, is one of the most
important pieces of work done by the
Canadian Red Cross Society," Dr.
Routley stated.

Interned Germans

Appreciate Treatment

There are worse fates Germans
could suffer than being interned in
Canada during war time,—for in-
stance, being free in their own Father-
land. This is the testimony of those
ward of the Canadian govern-
ment who still retain their German
nationality. Extracts from their let-
ters to their friends are the best
proofs of this, and incidentally cor-
roborate that, in this country the In-
ternational Convention Relating to
the Treatment of Prisoners of War is
interpreted in the broadest and
most humane spirit.

One letter from a prisoner in the
internment camp at Petawawa epitom-
izes the sense and feeling of sum-
mons others however much the words
may differ. He writes:

"The treatment is very kindly and
the food very good and be sure many
got not so good to eat as they have
here."

Another assures his relatives:
"Here in the camp we are looked

Town of Wainwright

FOR SALE BY TENDER

Tenders will be received by the un-
dersigned up to and including Thurs-
day May 2nd, 1940, for the purchase
of Lot sixteen (16) in Block Six (6),
Plan 6445V. This property is located
on the South side of Second Avenue
in the block opposite the Fire Hall
and has a garage, formerly occupied
by Mr. Alex Rustand, located thereon.
The highest, or any tender not nec-
essarily accepted.

N. S. KENNY,
Secretary-Treasurer.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

In the Estate of Henry Touchette,
late of the Settlement of Heath, in the
Province of Alberta, Farmer, De-
ceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all
persons having claims upon the estate
of the above-named Henry Touchette,
who died on the 21st day of Decem-
ber, A.D. 1939, are required to file
with Gerard Touchette, Heath, Al-
berta, Executor of the said Estate, by
the 31st day of May, A.D. 1940, a full
statement, duly verified, of their
claims and of any securities held by
them, and that after that date the
Executor will distribute the assets of
the deceased among the parties en-
titled thereto, having regard only to
the claims of which notice has been
so filed or which have been brought
to his knowledge.

DATED this 8th day of April, A.D.
1940.

J. A. MACKENZIE,
Solicitor for the Executor,
Wainwright, Alberta.

after all right. "We have enough de-
cent food, and everything" is going
smoothly. We are free all day to do
what we like, either go for a walk or
while away the time in the recreation
hall. In some respects we are better
off than the militia as we have a Ger-
man cook. Of course, it is not as
nice as to be with my darling—how-
ever, it is not too bad at all."

One of the prisoners at Petawawa
knew something of the last war and
of the conditions then prevailing in
his homeland, as this excerpt shows:
"I have to give the authorities a lot
of credit for the treatment they are
giving us—all of them from the Com-
mandant down to a private are as
pleasant as possible. Food is good
and for sure better than we had it at
home in Germany during the last war.
Clothing also sufficient."

His evidence is supplemented by
another who, thankful to be able to
write in German, assures his people:
"We get 3 good meals a day and
much more. If anybody should com-
plain about the treatment, I would
say he is a big liar."

Constantly iterated in the letters is
the refrain, "Do not send me any
food. The food they give us here is
excellent and plentiful." This is var-
ied sometimes to, "Do not send me
any more parcels, as I do not need
anything."

Kanaskas Internment Camp pris-
oners are particularly emphatic in
their assertions that the wants of the
inner man are fully taken care of.

One of them received in reply a letter
stating:
"I am glad to know that your huts
are nice and warm and that your of-
ficers are very nice to you. I must
say that in Germany they would not
be so nice to you. You know how they
are treating us at home (Germany) in
the police station. They shout at us
over the least little thing."

Deeply impressed by the skill and
care given to him while he underwent
an operation, one appreciative pris-
oner had "at all times the feeling that
everything was looked after well and
that I personally could not have ar-
ranged matters better."

"I am hoping to be able to return
my thanks to you by service to main-
tain order in this camp."

In Canadian eyes these internees
are neither automata nor brutes. The
fortunes of war have placed them
where they are but it is evident on
their own testimony what can be done
to mitigate their lot. In doing so, the
free and genial air fostered under our
democratic system permeates even
the confines of their prison camps,
and the humanity and kindness of
their temporary jailers contrast
strikingly with what they could ex-
pect under similar conditions in their
own land.

Twins May Have Company Names

New York—"Grand" and "Trunk"
will be the Christian names of twin
sons recently born to Mr. and Mrs.
Walter L. Scott, if the father has his
own way. Scott, a freight traffic
representative of Grand Trunk Cana-
dian National Railways, definitely de-
cided on those two names and is now
trying to convince his wife to agree.
The Scotts, formerly of Philadelphia,
now live in Brooklyn.

Although the Greenland whale has
a mouth 15 feet in length, its throat
is only 1 1/2 inches across.

NOTICE

TOWN OF WAINWRIGHT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all
Persons driving on or over any of the Town
Sidewalks will be prosecuted to the fullest ex-
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Canada May Administer Greenland



Neutral countries which throw in their lot with Germany will forfeit their overseas possessions. Whether the forfeitures will be permanent or only for the duration of the war will have to be decided at the conclusion of the conflict. The

British have already occupied the Faroe Islands, Danish possession north of Scotland, and Iceland has announced its secession from Danish rule. Greenland, another Danish possession, will probably be administered under the direction of

the Canadian government, although no definite decision in this matter has yet been reached in London. Fishing boats are seen here in the harbor of Scoresbyund, Greenland. The province is wealthy with untouched natural resources.

HEATH

A large number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. Jones gathered at their home on Wednesday afternoon for a surprise party in honor of their 20th wedding anniversary.

Ruth and Dilly Jones were home from Wainwright for the event.

Jim Ford is a patient at the Wainwright hospital.

Heath Telephone Company held a meeting at Heath on Thursday afternoon.

Fred Smith has joined the Canadian army at Toronto.

A number of students have returned from the Three Hills Bible Institute.

Mr. McLeod has clerking for him a brother of his former clerk, Bruce, who has returned to his home at Stettler for the spring season.

Field work is commencing in the district this week.

Sheepskin Flats

Mr. Don Teeter visited on Sunday last with Mr. Cam Templeton.

The Glit Edge Guild held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. W. Flanagan.

Mr. Jimmie Stranahan visited over the week end with Mr. Bob Roberts.

Quite a few of the school children were home from school last week suffering from bad colds.

EDGERTON

Mrs. Golding, who suffered quite a severe heart attack on Saturday, April 13th, is out and around again, but it seems that she is to be denied the pleasure of much of the heavy gardening at which she is such an adept. Anyway, from what we have seen of her greenhouse, that in itself will keep her well occupied, and, naturally, work of a much lighter nature.

Two holiday-makers have returned to the workaday world already, before most of us have even given such things as holidays a mere thought. Gene Trimmer arrived on the liner from his trip to Vancouver and Victoria last Wednesday morning, and Miss Edwards at noon the same day from Edmonton and other points in the province. Both report having had a wonderful time. We cannot help feeling glad that our vacation is yet to come—we hope.

Within a few days, it is understood, Roy Evans will commence new duties as "front end man" at the Sawyer Garage. Congratulations, Roy, and good luck, too!

A merry party was held at the P. S. Pawsey home on the evening of Tuesday, April 16th, the guest of honor being Norman McDonald and the occasion his birthday.

"Scotty" Robertson is a busy man these days. Last week he dug a new well for Frank Mitchell, and now he is cleaning out the one at the Don Pawsey establishment, and when that is finished he will start stucco operations on the house which, during the last few days, has "grown" a porch. Don intimates that most of the interior decorating is now nearing completion.

We hear that the Morley Donnelly's will be leaving on or about May 1st, and we extend to them every good wish for happiness and success in their new life in Eastern Canada.

Rehearsals are going forward for the comedy to be sponsored by the Anglican W.A. and unless something unforeseen occurs—such as mumps, for instance—we can get ready for a real laugh about the middle of May.

Is it possible our local P.M. is a jergic or something—no bees? Bright and early Sunday morning he sallied forth to deliver a box of the buzzy things to the Len Davis farm at Arm Lake. He only succeeded in getting a little beyond "Boob" Spence's farm, and was forced to beg the help of a team from "Boob", after which he returned to town, still in the company of the bees. Shortly after, we saw him start off with Phil Pawsey in the Pawsey car—and, with the bees.

It seems they had some digging to do, but eventually the poor bees were safely delivered at their new home, and we feel sure there was a look of relief on the P.M.'s face, even if he was plastered with mud. Of course, mud cannot sting, can it?

GREENSHIELDS

Last Wednesday noon Marvin Jackson was rushed to the Wainwright hospital and has been progressing favorably since an appendix operation.

The Greenshields section foreman and men were busy several hours last Wednesday night, due to a washout near the west end of this section. Having purchased the Stewart house from near the Buffalo Park, R. I. Bond had it moved to Greenshields Thursday. Before long the Bond family will be residing north of the railroad.

Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson and Miss Stouffer returned Friday night from a pleasant holiday in the western states and Vancouver and Victoria.

Former Canadian Vessel Victim of Nazi Bombers



Five crewmen were killed when the British passenger steamer, *Baron Hill*, was attacked by a Nazi bomber off the English coast. Fire boats

are shown here pouring water into the burning hull of the steamer, which was formerly the Canadian *Challenger*, while a lifeboat takes

off sailors. Not armed and not in a convoy, the *Baron Hill* was conceded to be a total loss by the British Admiralty.

this purpose farther back. Shelter from the sun for a day or two should be provided until the plants get established.

Seeds Vital

Seed, while only costing a few cents, is vital to success. We must be sure that it will grow into flowers or vegetables suitable to our rigorous Canadian climate. It must be from pure strains, selected and packed by reputable dealers. Some flowers which will do well in the warmer climate of Southern England or the United States may prove a disappointment in Canada. The seeds may rot in our cool ground, or the plants may not reach blooming stage until the first frost threatens next September.

Even those seeds which we saved carefully from our own garden last fall are often a failure. They are likely to have become mixed with other flowers and poorly colored or shrunken blooms will be the result. If vegetables, strains may have become mixed or we may have unwittingly selected those from too late maturing plants.

Seed saving is a job for the experts. Best commercial seed comes from special farms operated by professionalists. When we get our seed from a reliable Canadian seed house, we do not have to worry, being assured that the picture on the packet represents the final result, if we follow the simple directions and give a little care.

Kitchen Gardens

In the kitchen garden at the door it is advisable of course to keep a plentiful supply of salad material like leaf and head lettuce, onions and possibly celery. The latter is set out in the garden as well-planted plants after all danger of frost is over.

For vegetables there are small cultivators pushed by hand which will cultivate a plot 100 by 50 in well under an hour and these can be procured in larger sizes for horse or tractor.

Next Week—Variety in flowers, grass, don't rush.

THE HOME TOWN PHILOSOPHER

On the front page, upper left hand corner, the Stettler Independent always prints a waving flag, and on the flag is written this injunction: "Be Loyal to Your Country". I wonder if independent subscribers ever ponder, as I do, all that the slogan means—"Be Loyal to Your Community."

I think the editor had a million things in mind. Being loyal to your community, I think, involves "being loyal to your friends. That is the mainstay of home towns everywhere—the interest and loyalty of friend toward friend. That is why good citizens read their weekly paper so carefully, always eager for news about their neighbors.

Being loyal to your community means being proud of it. If there is any part of it you do not like, work toward improving it. Do everything you can to make your community a better place to live in, thus increasing your pride and loyalty to it.

If your town has Service Clubs join one or more of them, and be such an active, worthwhile member that the whole club becomes more useful because you are part of it.

If your town has a hockey club—join it, encourage it, do your part to make it a team that will publicize your town favorably wherever it travels.

If you think your town is not doing a good job, criticize it—but be sure you are constructive; and be ready, if called upon, to become a councillor yourself and take over the sometimes thankless job of giving the old town new life and vigor.

Yes, it's a big order, this business of being loyal to your community; but if you'll pick up a recent copy of your home town paper and read of community undertakings, you'll realize that many of your neighbors are living up to the letter. Perhaps you're shoulder to shoulder with them. I hope so!

—From "The Home Town Boy", CICA, Edmonton.

FOLDER DESCRIBES CANADIAN ROCKIES

Those who are undecided whether they will spend their holidays this summer at the seaside or mountains will find a solution of their problem in a folder just issued by the Canadian National Railways, entitled "Canadian Rockies and the Pacific Coast," according to C. W. Johnston, general passenger traffic manager of the company. "The magnificent Canadian Rockies and the added charm of delightful cities and resorts and the wonderful coastal scenery of the famed 'Inside Passage' route to Alaska complete the ideal vacation of two weeks or longer presented in this folder."

The Triangle Route of the Canadian National Railways covers a 2,000-mile travel trail across four mighty mountain ranges by two different routes, from either Jasper, Alberta, or from Vancouver, B.C. It also takes to water and, by steamship, follows the Inside Passage for the full length of the mountainous coastline of British Columbia. Then, if you decided on the Alaska cruise of 5 days' duration, you continue on the same Inside Passage route up to Skagway, Alaska, the land of gold and romance.

Should you start at Jasper, you can go clockwise or counter-clockwise around the Triangle and either way you miss none of the highlights. Jasper National Park, a peerless landscape presenting a panorama of towering mountains, glaciers, canyons and rivers, is the largest national park on the continent. This park, 4,200 square miles in extent, is recognized as one of the finest vacation grounds in the world, according to Mr. Johnston, providing the tourist, explorer, mountain climber, trail rider, hiker, angler or other vacationist with an answer to his dreams. "Jasper Park Lodge and various chalets in the mountains meet every want and desire for those holiday seekers who are coming to the Canadian Rockies in increasing numbers each year in search of pleasure and healthy relaxation. The summer hotel resort, Jasper Park Lodge, has the reputation of being one of the finest of its kind in the world."

"Spiced with a variety of scenery and activity, it is well worthwhile to plan your Triangle Tour ahead for the maximum of vacation pleasure," stated Mr. Johnston, "the colorful and illustrated folder supplying all details."

Garden Service

Window Boxes Even the apartment dweller is able to satisfy a gardening ambition when it comes to window boxes. This sort of gardening is highly intensive with many more plants to the square foot than would be grown under ordinary conditions. This means that very rich soil should be used and in addition a fairly frequent application of chemical fertilizer during the season.

Being exposed on all sides to drying winds, a thorough watering once a day of the window box is advised. The box, stained green or brown or painted to match the house trim, should be as long as the window and should be arranged so that the top of it is almost flush with the window sill. There must be holes in the bottom to provide drainage, and also a layer of gravel, cinders, broken crockery or similar material for the same purpose.

Along the front of window boxes are planted trailing nasturtiums, German ivy, lobelia, alyssum and similar plants with petunias, ageratum, begonias, ferns, geraniums and other plants especially recommended for

A Few Reminders

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ENGLAND IN THE 15th CENTURY

Two hundred years earlier, England established the art of brewing commercially. It was at this time the water of Burton on the Trent began to be famous. The monks were first to discover the secret of this famous water. There is a document, dated 1485, in which it is stated that Matilda, daughter of Nicolas de Thoben, had released to the Abbot of Burton certain tenelements. In return she was granted daily for life, two loaves, two gallons of BEER and a penny, besides seven gallons of BEER for the monks.

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Possibly you think of dried Lima beans in terms of a vegetable dish, a baked dish, a casserole dish, or a stew. But do you use this nutritious food in soups or salads? If not, you are neglecting a wonderful opportunity.

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Simple refreshments are appealing to the hostess — and certain to be the guests when the refreshments happen to be RHUBARB PUNCH and EASTER Dainties.

RHUBARB PUNCH (Serves 6 to 8)

2 cups fresh rhubarb (cut in small pieces)

1/2 cup water

1/2 cup sugar

1/2 cup lemon juice

2 1/2 pints gingerale

Cook rhubarb in water until tender. Remove from flame, add sugar and beat with rotary beater until smooth. Just before serving, add lemon juice and gingerale. Pour over taste-free, crystal-clear ice cubes. These may now be obtained from the ice service man, or quickly cut with a rubber sander from

the cake of ice in a modern air-conditioned ice refrigerator.

EASTER Dainties are especially practical from the standpoint of the hostess. They may be made the morning of the party, or even the day before if she has a modern air-conditioned ice refrigerator, as chilled until serving time.

To make them: Spread sweetened and flavored whipped cream between small vanilla wafers, using 5 for each serving. Spread the outside with whipped cream, the carefully roll in shredded coconut. Chill for at least 4 hours.

2nd DIAL REVIEW

by Walter Dales

What do you know about Alberta?

Judging by the mail pouring into CJCA, a good many people know a good deal about the province. When this new quiz show started last week from the stage of the Rocky theatre, everyone concerned was somewhat nervous. Station officials were asking themselves, "Is the show too dry?"

"Will listeners know enough about Alberta to be interested?"

"What if contestants find the questions too tough?" The worries are over now. It has been proved again that locally produced shows top network productions for audience appeal.

Reo Thompson, as master of ceremonies, handled the quiz smoothly, made the contestants feel right at home. Norris Mackenzie must have put the commercials over with a breeze, because results from the single broadcast have been far beyond expectations. Listeners eager to test their knowledge of Alberta showed up in Tuesday nights at 8:30 and wrestle with such questions as: "What two Alberta cities are located on the shores of the Red Deer River?" "How far is it from Edmonton to Calgary?" "What is the population of Alberta?"

Local Drama

A local dramatic effort that is creating a good deal of favorable comment is heard from CJCA, Monday nights at 10:15. Stuart Carson handles the broadcasts solo, and Reo Thompson is in charge of production.

Jimmie Richardson, of Edmonton, writes the dramas, and his vivid characters are brought to life by Carson's excellent acting.

Latest dramatic serial to hit the Canadian airwaves is "Against the Storm," heard Monday to Friday at 12:00 noon from CJCA. The story transpires in a little University town.

At present the main problem of the story seems to be the inability of a father to like his son-in-law. The plot is refreshingly different and should be a welcome stanza for non-drama lovers in.

Radio men believe that since radio is show business, they should use showmanship in selling a program. One salesman sent an account some radio-advertised product each day before attempting to make a sale.

As the products kept pouring into the account's office, he saw the humor in the situation and responded with this poem:

I've guessed and I'm candelied
Carnationed and scoured,
With radio products
Each day I am showered.

Johannesburg, South Africa, has too many taxis and drivers complain that they are kept moving round the block because there is no place to park.

Speaking of poetry, I don't know anyone who can read it better than the announcer on the Wayne King program from CJCA Saturdays at 6:30 p.m. Tune him in for a poetic treat.

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NEWS & VIEWS OF TOWN AND DISTRICT

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Balminton (nee Cynthia Leslie) of Fabry, at the Wainwright municipal hospital on Friday, April 19th, a son—Leslie Edward.

Corp. K. Snyder was in town for a couple of days on his last furlough before leaving for the East.

Mrs. E. Peterson was a business visitor to the city last week-end.

***Be prepared and thou shalt thrive. Mr. Farmer, be prepared or better still allow the O.K. Shoe Repair the privilege of preparing for you. Take advantage of the fine repairs and the pleasing price we offer to put your harness and equipment in first-class shape for the coming spring work.

We understand that Bill Bibby is taking over the J. L. Case agency in town, and is establishing a warehouse near his garage on Second Avenue.

Mr. Jack Reid, of Marsden, Sask., was in town last week visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. Carl Stafford arrived last week to take over the management of the Atlas lumber yard. Mrs. Stafford was here for the week end but has returned to her home at Viking, until Carl can find a residence to move into here.

***Patrons of the Elite theatre pictures on Wednesdays (1st and 3rd) and thus assist with the Red Cross funds.

Owing to the recent rush thaw, following the late snowfall, there has been more water this year than for many years. Cellars have been flooded and roads washed out from overflow of sloughs and ditches. In spite of the best efforts of the town employees, several of our streets are next to impassable, although the extra water is rapidly receding.

Julian Blason is here from the East on a visit to his uncle, Mr. W. Blason.

Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson and Miss Stauffer, who have been spending an extended holiday at the coast, arrived home to Greenhills last week after some four months' absence.

***To all commercial truckers. You will require one insurance in order to obtain your 1940 license. We sell at the lowest rate—\$10.00 per \$1,000.00—Joe Welch, Insurance.

We are informed that Miss Brown, matron at the hospital, has been absent owing to ill-health. During this time she will undergo an operation.

It is pleasing to know that Wallace Carl, who was the unfortunate victim of a wood-sawing accident recently is getting on nicely now at the hospital.

George Reynolds reports a splendid sale at the John Challenger farm at Edgerton last week, when a big crowd of buyers attended and good prices were realized.

***Thanks to the generosity of Mr. W. Bruner, 50 per cent. of the proceeds of the show at the Elite Theatre are to be donated to the local Red Cross each first and third Wednesdays, and patrons are asked to note this and act accordingly.

Armstrong's Limited have placed a new light delivery truck in service during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Madkins were up to the city for a day or two last week-end.

Owing to losing control of a car on Sunday last the young lady driver nearly introduced the vehicle to the interior of the Buffalo Cafe. No injury was sustained, however, and little car or other damage.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

LOST
BLACK AND BROWN AIREDALE
Dog lost around town two weeks ago; answers to name of "Jack"; long tail. Finder rewarded for return to C. Sorgen, Town. 24-4

FOR SALE
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FOR SALE—CARBON LEAF AND Perfect Copy counter check books. Priced 2 for 25 cents.—The Star.

FOR SALE—RUBBER STAMPS of all kinds for personal and business use. Prompt guaranteed service and reasonable prices.—The Star, Wainwright.



On account of the impassable state of some of the roads, the Big Satin-Glo Sale at the Atlas yard will continue all this week until April 27.

Mr. Fred Lepper is away to Edmonton for a few days.

A general meeting of the local Red Cross branch is being called for Wednesday, May 8th, at 8 p.m. in the Town Hall and all interested are asked to be present.

Miss R. Pawsey was a city visitor last week, as was also Mrs. G. Gregson.

Mrs. Sheppard has now returned from B.C. to reside with her daughter, Mrs. B. Wilkins.

***While automobile insurance in Alberta is not compulsory, if you have an accident which causes a \$25 loss the judge may suspend your license, and it cannot be re-instated until you take out insurance. It is difficult to place insurance once the license has been suspended, and then only at a much higher rate and after investigation and delay. This is only one of the many reasons why you should carry insurance and see Joe Welch about this. He specializes in this protection.

With a nice new cement floor, and the big double doors enlarged, the Buffalo garage is now being re-arranged. Steve Bowerman is also planning out a parking and car lot space alongside the garage on Second Avenue.

Secretary Harold Taylor was a business tripper to the city on municipal business last week.

Auctioneer Ochy is announcing a sale of the effects on the Tom Key farm at Edgerton for April 20th (tomorrow).

In connection with her high office as W.G.M. of the O.E.S., Mrs. W. Washburn has been visiting chapters in the south for the past week.

Quite a number of the kiddies have had a happy time "driving the river" on improvised rafts on the sloughs and flood waters in town for the past week.

Mr. C. T. Lally was in Edmonton last week on business. He was accompanied by his daughter Joyce.

The Gold Standard Refinery west of town is getting all set for a busy season, and completing arrangements to again take up their very wide distribution system in this territory.

***Want your suits and clothes cleaned for Spring? Then have Miles Transport call and take them to the city. Right work; right prices. Phone 72.

From being struck by a golf club in the hands of a playmate on Saturday, little Johnny Clark suffered a nasty cut on the head.

Mr. L. Good is now driving his new Plymouth car, which he recently purchased.

***Save \$2.00 per gallon at the Satin-Glo sale at the Atlas Lumber Yard. The sale is now on.

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Although the Sunburst bus was due to again make its city runs on Monday, a washout on the highway caused its non-appearance in town.

We regret to learn that Mrs. J. Middlemas has been under the weather for the past week with a severe cold.

Unless something is done regarding the riding of bicycles on the sidewalks, a serious accident is liable to occur and then someone will get into serious trouble.

We are informed that three nurses of the hospital staff handed in their resignations last week-end, and these were accepted by the board of that institution.

Several cases of mumps are reported from around town and the sufferers are under quarantine.

Mr. Brock Armstrong, having completed his variety exams, arrived home for the summer last week-end.

Mrs. C. W. McBride was in the city for a day or two last week.

After quite a long spell on view at the C.N. depot here, the big buffalo in the glass case has been expressed to New York, where it will continue to be displayed.

Lovers of particular radio programmes must watch the published time tables this week, owing to daylight saving time going into effect in several cities where these originate.

Mr. W. Keenan was among the first to try out his golf clubs this season, and reports the greens at the club in fair shape already.

What might have proved a case of abduction occurred when a couple of young girls were induced to enter a car with a couple of strangers and had to jump from the moving vehicle to obtain their freedom on Sunday evening. The car, which had been taken without authority, was found again next morning at the place it was removed from. All this by way of a warning!

Twelve towns and three cities will be included in the display of physical training in the big Edmonton arena tonight (Wed.), the Wainwright group being among those entered for this novel demonstration.

Mr. Harry French was in town last week visiting his father on the farm.

We learn that a number of tractors and other machinery has been sold during the past week, which portends a busy season being looked forward to in the district.

Included in the troops who went East on the troop train were a couple of local men in the persons of Kirk Snyder and Andy Cavell.

They'll Do it Every Time

A good farmer west of town reports that a couple of pedlars put one over on him recently. The pedlars came to his place with several rolls of what they were lining out as linoleum. The women of the house selected a roll which the pedlars said was a good grade of linoleum and contained forty feet. When the pedlars left the women felt they had been stung, and on measuring the piece they discovered that they were ten feet short, and later when they compared it with linoleum on sale in a local store, they found they had bought a cheap grade of floor covering with just a felt base. They paid the pedlars \$30.00 for what they could have bought from a Red Deer merchant for \$8.50. Several other residents of the district have had the same experience.—Advocate.

Stork Visits Train

Montreal.—Although Canadian National sleeping car windows are sealed as part of air-conditioning, the stork managed to get into one of the upper berths on the "Ocean Limited" from Halifax recently and delivered a baby about half an hour before the train reached Montreal. The porter paid the train in vain for a doctor, but a registered nurse passenger took charge until the train reached Montreal, where doctors and ambulance were waiting.

COMING EVENTS

A Silver Tea under the auspices of St. Thomas' (Ang.) W.A. will be held at the home of Mrs. A. H. Adams on Saturday, May 4th, from 3 to 6 p.m. Everyone is invited, and this is YOUR personal invitation to attend.

The Catholic L.A. invite you to a Mothers' Day Tea and Home Cooking Sale to be held in McLeod's Furniture Store on Saturday afternoon, May 11th. All are welcome.

Grocery Specials FOR APRIL 25th TO 30th

Graham Wafers 19 1-b. Pkt.	COFFEE .50 Blue Ribbon. Lb.
Wheat Hearts .35 Ogilvie's. 6-lb. bag	Choice Corn .25 20-oz. tin. 2 tins
Laundry Soap .45	1 Pkt. JIF and .29 GLASS BOWL
CHEESE .60 Golden Leaf. 2-lb. box	RAISINS .55 Seedless. 4 lbs.
PINEAPPLE .25 Barclay. 2 tins	White Beans .25 Ontario. 3 lbs.
Baking Powder .59 Blue Ribbon. 3-lb. tin	Cake Flour .30 Swanstown. Pkt.
Grapefruit .25 Texas. 5 for	APPLES 2.19 Newton wrapped. Doz.
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